A SUBSTITUTE ORDINANCE BY COUNCILMEMBER CEASAR C. MITCHELL FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2002 (INTERGOVERNMENTAL GRANT FUND) BUDGET, OFFICE OF THE CITY SOLICITOR, BY ADDING TO ANTICIPATIONS AND APPROPRIATIONS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$600,000 FOR A GRANT – FUNDED COMMUNITY GUN VIOLENCE PROSECUTION PROGRAM INTENDED TO ENHANCE PROSECUTION OF GUN RELATED CRIMES IN THE CITY OF ATLANTA, AND OR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, The U. S. Department of Justice has awarded a grant in the amount of \$480,000 to the City of Atlanta to fund a Community Gun Violence Prosecution program, to be matched with \$120,000 from local funds during the three year term of the grant, and

WHEREAS, the Office of the City Solicitor will use these funds to hire four additional Prosecutors dedicated to the prosecution of violent crimes involving firearms, and

WHEREAS, the aggressive prosecution of firearm related crimes is critical to the reduction of violent crime in the City of Atlanta, and

WHEREAS, the Budget Commission of the City of Atlanta, Georgia has recommended increasing estimated receipts in the Intergovernmental Grant Fund by \$600,000

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA

<u>Section 1:</u> That the 2002 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Budget, Office of the City Solicitor, be and is hereby amended as follows:

ADD TO ANTICIPATIONS

1B02	J53X0210B330	US Department of Justice	
	633101 692403	Federal Grant Entitlements Operating Transfer from 1A01	480,000 120,000 600,000

ADD TO APPROPRIATIONS

1B02 S11T0732B330 Community Gun Violence Program

71**** Personnel Services 600,000

Section 2: That matching funds up to \$120,000 may be transferred to the Intergovernmental Grant Fund account to match Justice Department funds from the General Fund account: 1A01 761001 T31001.

<u>Section 3:</u> That the Chief Financial Officer or his designee is authorized to transfer matching funds from the 2002 General Fund Budget as required to match the federal funds from this grant.

Section 4: That all ordinance or parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby waived.